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The claims have allowable subject matter. However, the examiner wants to discuss some claims which are lacking essential element(s) of the invention. Please call examiner Gopal C. Ray at his office phone # (703) 305-9647 to discuss the subject matter at your earliest convenience.

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